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SELECTED TALES

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THE TWO FRIENDS.

A Story for the Young.

From the French.

'All the greatness of this world is not worth a good friend.'

John and Colin learned to read at the school of the same village, John was the son of a muleteer, and Colin owed his birth to an industrious laborer. These two young children loved each other very much, and they had together many little secrets, which they always remembered with pleasure, when they afterwards met in the busy world.

The period assigned for their studies was about finishing, when a tailor brought John a tri-colored coat and a very beautiful waistcoat of Lyons velvet, they were accompanied with a letter to his mother. Colin admired the coat and was not jealous, but John took such an air of superiority, that it affected his young friend. From this moment John studied no more looked at himself in the glass and despised every body: Some time after a groom arrived post haste, and brought a second letter to the mother directed with great care to Madame Leroy: It was an order from his father to send the son to Paris John mounted a chaise, holding his hand to Colin with a patronising smile of protection. Colin felt his nothingness, and wept, while John partod in all the pomp of his glory.

You must know that John's father had by his intrigues rapidly acquired immense wealth. Soon they called him nothing but the Marquis Leroy.

Colin always generous, wrote a complimentary letter to his boyish comrade. The little marquis made him no reply. Colin was sick with grief.

The marquis wanted to give his son a brilliant education, but Madame la Marquise did not wish him to learn Latin, because they only played comedies and operas in French. She also prevented him from learning geography, for she said the point out all that was necessary.

After having criticised in this manner, all the useful sciences it was decided that the young marquis should learn to dance.

You may well imagine that withheld from all studies proper for a young man, the spoiled boy was soon led by idleness into libertinism. He spent immense sums and sought false pleasures, while his parents exhausted themselves still more to live as great lords.

A young widow of quality who had but a slender fortune anxiously wished to secure the great wealth of the marquis and his wife, by marrying the young marquis and an old neighbor proposed the marriage. The parents dazzled by the apparent splendor of this alliance, accepted with joy the proposition.

All was ready for the nuptials and the young marquis was at the knees of his beauty receiving the compliments of their common friends, when a valet of his mother arrived and in much trepidation.

'Here is other news,' said he, 'Bailiffs have possession of the house of the Marquis—all is seized by the creditors, they speak of taking the body and I am going in haste to demand my wages.'

'I will follow,' said the young marquis 'what all this about.'

'Yes, said the widow go and punish these rogues—go quickly.'

He hurried; but before he arrived at the house, his father was already imprisoned.

All the servants had fled, each for himself, carrying away all that he could. His mother remained alone without succor, consolation, drowned in tears. Nothing remained to her but the remembrance of her fortune, and of her foolish expenses.

After the son had cried a long time with his mother he at last said quietly to her,

'Do not let us despair. This young widow loves me desperately. She is more generous yet than rich. I rely upon her I will go and seek her and lead you to her.'

He returned to his mistress.

'What! is it you, said she; the young marquis? What are you going to do here? Will you thus abandon your mother? Go to the poor woman and tell her that she has my best wishes. I want a chambermaid and I will give her the preference.'

The marquis stupefied with rage, went to those that he had seen most frequently visit the house of his father. They received him with studied politeness giving him but vague hopes.

Thus he learned to know the world; better in a half a day than in all the rest of his life!

While plunged in the heaviness of grief he saw advancing an old fashioned chaise, an antique sort of tumbrell covered with a curtain of skin, followed by four enormous cars all laden! There was in the chaise a young man plainly dressed. He was a face round and fresh which breathed frankness and gaiety! His little wife rosy and fat enough was jolting by his side! The carriage did not move like the car of a fashionable man! The traveller had ample time to contemplate the marquis immoveably ingulfed in grief.

'Oh heaven I think that there is John, cried he!

At this name the marquis raised his eyes,

'It is John himself; it is John!'

'You have abandoned me,' said Colin; and although you have been a great lord, I will always love you.'

John confused and affected related a part of his story.

'Come to the hotel where I lodge, and tell me the rest, said Colin. Embrace my little wife and let us go to dinner together.

They all three went on foot followed by the baggage.

What is all this apparatus! does it belong to you.

'Yes all is mine and my wifes, We come from the country I am at the head of a good manufactury of iron, tin and brass I married the daughter of a rich merchant We travel a great deal, God has blessed us, We have not changed. you will return with me into the country, I will learn you our business,

John surprised feeling himself affected by grief and joy tenderness and shame, said in a very low voice,

'All my fine friends have betrayed me, and Colin whom I despised is the only one who hastens to my relief.

What a moral. The gooddess of soul of Colin developed in the heart of John a germ of virtue that the world had not yet destroyed, He felt that he would not abandon his father nor his mother,

MISCELLANEOUS.

Massachusetts and Connecticut Pedlars.

'One day, said the Bay State pedlar, 'as I was driving along, a fellow with a load of tin, came of a by-road, and followed right along in my tracks. Mister, said I, 'which way are you going?'

"Going ahead! don't you see?' said he.

'Yes,' says I, 'I reckon we had better take different roads, else only one of us will sell any tin. What say you?'

Yes we will. You may go ahead and sell all you can, and then I'll sell as much again as you.'

'Why, will you sell so much cheaper?'

'No, I'll get more for every article'

'Well, I don't see how you can do it.'

Try it, and I'll show you. I'll stop here while you drive to that house yonder, & sell all you can. Start on your team a little, and then come back for your whip or something you have dropped, and you can see how I sell.'

Well,' said I so I drove up to the house and went in, and spoke to the old gentleman who was reading a newspaper. How de do?' said I, but he didn't mind any thing about me.

'Want to buy any tin pans, pails, or cups, or any thing?'

'No.

'I'll sell cheap and take almost any thing in pay.

'Don't want none;'

'But just look at my lot, it is the completest you ever saw.

'Don't want to.

Well I really wish I could sell you something. You really think you cant buy?

'No, dont want nothing.

So I went out and started on my horse 'Whoa,' says I, now I'll see what that Connecticut fellow can do. So I walks back to the house. I didn't leave my whip here,' did I.

Haint seen it,' said the old man, keeping on reading advertisements. Then the Connecticut fellow came in.

How far is it to a tavern?'

Half a mile, said the old man.

I'm as dry as a codfish. I'll take some of your water, walking up to a table, and taking up a pewter mug. 'Oh,' said he, it is cider, making believe that he was going to set it down.

'Drink it, said the old man, and he did.

Thats royal good cider. you make that for your own use, cant buy such as that: if I had a barrel of that in Boston, I'd get five dollars for it. How did you make it?

Made it out of apples.

Did you! Well they must have been extraordinary good ones—every one of them fit to make mince pies of. Got a large orchard, haint you, Squire?'

No;

Fist rate, what there is on it, then. Got a snug house too havn't seen many houses I like as well as this, and I've seen a good many in my day:

Real snug house, looking round as if hunting a stray fly: How many rooms up stairs!'

Four and all furnished off, said the old woman who was ironing. On that he turned right round and made all his talk to her.

Four and all off, and furnished! You are thriving like all natur! Got smart girls enough to fill them up?'

No, only one.

Well one good one is enough, better than three or four ordinary ones: How old is she.

Eighteen.

Eighteen! She'll be married before long I reckon: Not many girls like yours live to be old maids:

I don't think she'll be an old maid.

She looks like you dont she now, I've heard of her, she's as handsome as a picture. What a handsome setting out you'll give her.

Yes I've got five pair of linin sheets and four coverlids that I made for her this summer. I mean, if she ever does get married that she shall have as good a setting out as any body.

So I would; and you are able to do it. Now I think of it, I've got a few first-rate things that I mean to carry home to somebody you can guess who, *(winking)* I've been offered more than they are worth, but I've a mind to let you have them for that girl of yours. I dont know though as I can let 'em go, Betsey will expect them. But come you may look at them:

So the old woman put on her specs, and went out with him to his wagon: He dug to the bottom and hauled out some pans and pails just like those on top, Here they are; I keep the stowed away out of sight, the genuine Lafayette tin come from france. The more you use them the brighter they grow, they never need scouring.

Whats the price of these common ones; said she pointing to some just like those he had in his hand.

Five shillings, and these are ten. the Lafayette tin costs nine and six pence, but for that pretty girls sake; that looks so much like you they I'll let you have a few for seven shillings,

So he went on talking till he sold her more than five dollars worth of ware not nigh as good as mine, and at a good deal higher prices.

When he started on, says he, 'How much did you sell.

None.

Ah, you didn't come from Connecticut.

Thus ends the first page!

WASHINGTON CITY D. C

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1848

NEW PAPERS:

We have received the Nacogdoches Times, published in Texas. We have often received Texas papers but they do not come regular—and shall be happy to exchange with the Times. The Editor though a party man is moderate in his opinions, chaste in his style, and has few equals in the beauty and simplicity of language. He seems to be a scholar and a man of general information. His name is 'Floyd H. Kendall, Editor and proprietor.' The paper is of common size, and neatly printed at $3, per annum. It is mostly filled with Domestic affairs—the markets and agriculture &c., and though he goes for Gov. Cass and Gen. Butler for President, and Vice President. Yet he is free from that bitterness and falsehood against Gen. Taylor, which disgrace so many of the Northern papers in these parts of the United States,

We find the following notice in the Times before us, [of October 7th.]

"Dr. Ely's Proposition.—We have not space this week sufficient for a suitable article on the proposition of Dr. Ely, the principal of our University, which will be found in our advertising columns. We now ask all our exchanges in and out of Texas, to notice or copy the advertisement. By so doing they may procure a thorough education for some young man, struggling to rise in the world, and help on the cause of popular instruction."

Can this be Rev. Dr. Styles Ely formerly of Philadelphia? the leader or rather co-leader of the Church and State party:

If it be the same he is a dangerous man to have anything to do with seminaries of learning. In this way the church and State party have nearly succeeded in putting down the Constitution of our country, and changing the government from a republic to the most dangerous of all governments that rapine extortion and lawless cruelty, a religious despotism. By means base as they are treacherous, and all this they have practiced under the cloak of religion since 1817, until they have converted the fairest part of our country into ignorance, bigotry, and fanaticism, while mobs, incendiaries, murderers, robbers, and crimes unfit to name overspread the land like a pall, all this has been brought about by the agents of this dangerous Church (mostly presbyterians) who swarm throughout the land, the houses and kitchens, like the frogs of Egypt. These are they who stole into our schools and monopolized nearly the whole 'education' of the present generation upon their own sectarian plan viz, excluding every species of instruction that would open the reasoning powers of the mind, or develope the faculties, and strengthen the understanding.

Upon looking further over the Times we find it is NOT Dr. Styles Ely. The gentlemans name is 'Albert Welles Ely, A. M. M. D. President of Nacogdoches University.' The tuition is free, but each student must pay in advance $10 every session to the President. Students remain in the University four years when they graduate! But should they leave the institution before the expiration of the time, or before they graduate they pay the whole of tuition.

This provision for free scholars appears to be an appendage to the regular University, and that it should take precedence in advertising the university and no distinction in name is what we do not understand. They must be classical scholars too, and fifty in number at least, this is singular, perhaps they are intended for the church. But this is not all, there is a

'FEMALE DEPARTMENT.

There is also attached to the University Female Department, under the direction of

Mrs, Jane S. Ely, Principal,

Miss Sarah C. Clarke, Teacher of Mathematics, &c. &c,

Madame O V Bonamy, Teacher of Modern Languages.

Additional Teachers will be supplied according to the number of pupils.

The studies of the Female department are full and thorough, embracing all those pursued in the best female institutions in the United State.

Rates of tuition for the following extra branches in the Female Department, are as follows:

Music on the piano, with use of Instrument, per session,	'	$25
Music on the Guitar, with use of Instrument, per session,	'	$15
French	' '	$10
Drawing and painting	'	10
Wax work,	'	10

The rates for other studies are the same as in the Male Daparment.

By an ordinance of the Trustees of the University each student is required to furnish, delivered at the college buildings two loads of good fire wood, during each session, or to pay in liue thereof $1 at the end of the session.

Tuition fees will be charged from the time the student commences until the close of the session, without deduction for absence except when caused by protracted illness, [of not less than three weeks consecutively) and payable to President Ely in cash half at the middle, and half at the end of the session.

Students will be classed as directed by the parents or guardians, or in the absence of directions by the President.

A public examination of the classes will be made at the end of each session.

Students from a distance can obtain good boarding, near the University on reasonable terms.

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, President.
of Trustees of Nacogdoches University.
HADEN H. EDWARDS, Secretary.
Sept. 2, 1848—5M'

Every thing appears to be doing for the poor scholars and the ladies. This is as it should be. We have only to pray for their success: and hope Texas may set a pattern for her elder sisters.

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But a word more concerning Rev. Dr Styles Ely, once the great champion of Church and State principles.

He came from some of the New England states, and was a settled minister of the Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia. His first movement (in obedience to the general assembly doubtless) was a proposal to have a "christian party in politics.' We remember it well, when somewhere about twenty years since at a 4th of July celebration when all was mirth and hilarity, little thinking a Judas was amongst them—Mr Ely who preached the celebration sermon, in the middle of his discourse says, after dropping several plain hints comes out boldly and says, "Brethereu let us have a christian party in politics. In ten years from this or twenty years at most, we will be able to bring a majority in the field sufficient to carry any election we may choose.'

In order to make his words come true as it was supposed, he collects a large number of Sunday school scholars and changed the name to that of 'Sunday school Union, and what does he do but procures signers to a petition, goes up to Harrisburg where the legislature was then sitting and without waiting to be invited he presents his petition to have his sunday school union chartered. But the people of Pennsylvania were not quite willing to be bridled and saddled for his Reverence to ride:

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☞ We shall correct our advertisements in our next.

A steamboat coming down the ohio stopped at a small town to wood: A new passenger came on board who immediately laid himself down and slept very soundly while the others walked up to the captains office to settle! After waiting some time for him the captain sent the clerk to wake him and ask him for his fare! The fellow rubbed his eyes 'all right said he! The clerk returned to the captain with this answer. but the captain thought all was not right and after receiving the answer all right as many times he went himself:

'All right, said the passenger.

No sir, said the captain it is not all right and now Mr Jeremy Diddler fork over or I will put you ashore in a minute!

'All right said the man and the captain had him landed very suddenly!.

'Good morning captain, said he—all right!

The fellows patience fairly won the captains heart!

'Come aboad said he, I'll take you as far as you want to go.

'Never mind captain! all right. My house is up there; pointing to a decent house on the hill:

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A Drunkard's soliloquy.—'It would be a comfortable thing if I knowed just where I was bound for. Up streets got mixed with down street, and there's no such thing as cross street at all. The moon's crosseyed, and keeps winking and blinking' as if she had her eyes full of Macaboy Now what am I to do? If I stand still there's a very pleasant chance of going to sleep standing. If I goes to stir, hang me if I know which way I am travellin'.'

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A poor Irishman advertised an old potato-pot for sale.

His children gathered around him, and asked him why he parted with it? He replied, Ah my honeys! I would not be after parting with it, but for a little money, to buy something to put in it.

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☞ 'Hallo dare Sambo, where is you gwi'ne?'

'I's goin' fishin.'

'What dat you got in you' mouf?'

'Oh, nuffin but wo'ms.'

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'Sambo, where you ketch dem fish?'

'In de mouf, you fool.

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☞ Man is happy only when he is employed. laziness begets vice—vice begets crime, and crime involves death—death inflicts infomy on his memory, and bows down the heads of his parents, sisters, brothers, wife and offspring, Who will not avoid laziness?

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Hallo, Jake where did you buy those fish?'

'I didn't buy 'em.'

'Well where did you get them!'

'I hooked 'em.'

LONG TIME AGO.

Near the pond so still and lazy,
Long time ago—
On the bank where grew the daisy,
Whiter than snow,
Lived a bouncing buxom lassie,
Not varn't so slow,
Oft she tripped the lea so grassy,
Long time ago.

Sobs and eyes chuck full of water
Long time ago—
Praise and sighs and presents taught her
My love to know,
oft did my fond fancy think her
Purer than snow,
But she ran off with a tinker!
Long time ago.

POETRY.

FORGET-ME-NOT.

BY EPHRAIM GRATE.

Oh! drive me to madness,
Oh! frown not on me now,
'Twill dry my fount of gladness
And chill my pallid brow.

Enough already in the word
Of cold reproof you spoke,
If I have lov'd, if I have err'd,
Why should my heart be broke,

Oh, let not words of anger come,
For off those of thine,
Lest they should prove a blasting doom
To cherish hopes of mine.

Let kindness in thy spirit be,
And love thy heart heart entwind,
Oh, speak not coldly unto me,
'Twill burst this heart of mine.

My spirit, lady, too is sad,
And grief is in my heart,
There's none to make my spirit glad
Love cordial to impart.

My love knows no control,
My heart, my all is thine,
And all the worship of my soul,
I'll pour at thy loved shrine.

Then, lady frown not now on me,
'Twill chill my fount of gladness,
'Twill turn to misery all my glee,
And drive my soul to madness

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Under the sun of the blue & tropic skies
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